Minutes

Academic Matters Council
Wednesday, April 18, 2012

Attendees: Neal Abrahams, Adam Baldarelli, Martha Baker, Carol Barr, Brian Beck, Cindy Boissonneault, Stephanie Chapko, Jake Clemen, Emma Dundon, Ginger Etinde, Bryan Harvey, Heath Hatch, John Jenkins, Patrick Kelly, Meredith Lind, Pamela Marsh-Williams, Ernie May, Patrick Sullivan, Cindy Suopis, Stephen Walt, Guests: Lisa Anderson, Karen List, B.J. Roche

Approval of Minutes: The Minutes of April 4, 2012 were APPROVED by the Council.

Announcements:

New Business:

Old Business:

Subcommittee Reports

COURSE (Cindy Suopis)

Motion: add Arabic 101Y, “Elementary Four-Skilled Arabic I” to list of courses below. MOTION PASSED

Honors 320, “Irish Writers and Cultural Context” PASSED
Honors 220, “The American Family” PASSED
Theater 335, “Hip Hop Theater” PASSED
Theater 364, “Stage Management” PASSED
Theater 365, “Technical Direction” PASSED
Theater 370, “Scenic Construction Studio” PASSED
Theater 440, “Acting Shakespeare” PASSED
Theater 441, “Actor/Director Collaboration” PASSED
Theater 445, “Performance in Detonated Language” PASSED
Theater 465, “Advanced Construction Techniques” PASSED
Arabic 101*, “Elementary Four-Skilled Arabic I” PASSED
Arabic 102*, “Elementary Four-Skilled Arabic II” PASSED
Arabic 201, “Intermediate Four-Skilled Arabic I” PASSED
Arabic 202, “Intermediate Four-Skilled Arabic II” PASSED
NRC 575, “Case Studies in Conservation” PASSED
NRC 586, “Natural Resource Inventory of Local Lands” PASSED
Public Health 507, “Violence as a Public Health Issue” PASSED

*The classification of ‘Y’, which signifies a year-long course, has been removed.
PROGRAM (Patrick Kelly)

Revisions to Sustainable Food and Farming Certificate PASSED

Concentration in Sports Journalism** PASSED

**This concentration also includes extensive work from Professor Nicholas McBride on the topic of representation within Journalism.

Calendar

Other Business

Ernie May and the Council congratulated John Jenkins on his retirement and thanked him for his 49 years of service to the University.

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday September 19, 2012 @ 12:15 PM, Campus Center TBA.